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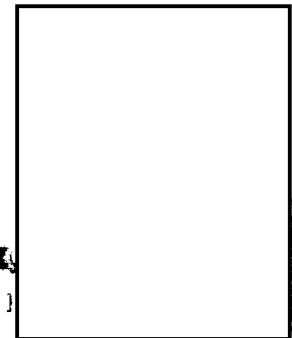
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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT : Foreign Travel under the Area Familiarization and Survey Programs

REFERENCE : Memo dtd 26 Mar 55 to DD/P, DD/I, and DD/S from DCL, same subject



1. I submit for your approval a proposal for foreign travel to begin 1 July 1956. The Director's instructions regarding the Area Familiarization and Survey Programs would call for this particular proposal to be included in the semi-annual estimate due approximately 1 June for the period 1 July through 31 December. In this case, however, scheduling, reservations, etc., must be accomplished substantially before that date.

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2. The proposal is to send [redacted] Co-ordinator of the Area Training Program, Language and External Training School, Office of Training, on an area familiarization trip of approximately thirteen weeks. The proposed trip would include [redacted]

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[redacted] and it is expected that the cost will not exceed \$2,500. [redacted] as been with the Agency since December 1946 and during this entire period his assignments have been focused on Western European problems. With the exception of 30 days temporary duty in [redacted] in 1951, [redacted] only visit to Western Europe was in 1949 when he spent two months there at his own expense. I believe that benefits will be derived from this travel which will enhance materially the course of instruction provided by [redacted] and the vigor of the area training program for which he is responsible. I recommend your approval of this foreign travel.

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Deputy Director
(Support)

The recommendation in paragraph 2
is approved. 13 FEB 56

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